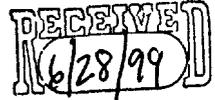


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U.S. Food and Drug Administration
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
Office of Special Nutritionals, HFS-450
200 C. Street S.W.
Washington, District of Columbia 20204

Re: Natrol, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am the General Counsel of Natrol, Inc., Chatsworth, California, a manufacturer of dietary supplement products (hereafter "Natrol").

On behalf of Natrol, and pursuant to the requirement of Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994, 21 U.S.C. 9343 (c) (6), your Agency is hereby notified that Natrol proposes to make statements of "nutritional support", as described in 21 U.S.C. §343(1)(6)(a), for its dietary supplements as follows:

- (1) Echinacea: Echinacea is the world's best known herb for supporting the body's defense system.
(2) Cranberry: For centuries, Native Americans used crushed cranberries for a variety of uses. Today, controlled studies suggest organic acids from cranberry help promote urinary and bladder health.
(3) Artery Support: Helps balance homocysteine levels to promote vascular health.
(4) Acidophilus: Each capsule supplies millions of viable organisms to help establish and maintain favorable intestinal flora.

Please be advised that the label of each of the above dietary supplement products includes the statement that "The FDA has not evaluated these statements. This product is not intended to diagnose, treat, cure or prevent disease."

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If you have any questions regarding the foregoing, do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at your convenience.

Sincerely,

NATROL, INC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Eve Mendoza", written in a cursive style.

Eve Mendoza
General Counsel

cc: Elliott Balbert
• Cheryl Richitt